



**US Army Corps
of Engineers**
Honolulu District



WAIMEA RIVER FLOOD CONTROL WAIMEA, ISLAND OF KAUAI

Project Location. The Waimea River drainage basin is located in the west central part of Kauai. The town of Waimea lies along the seacoast west of the mouth of the river.

Authorization. The project to provide flood control improvements for the Waimea River drainage basin was conducted under the authority of Section 205 of the 1948 Flood Control Act, as amended.

Local Sponsor. The local sponsor is the County of Kauai.

Completed Work. The project consists of cement-rubble-masonry floodwalls totaling 3,320 linear feet, levee totaling 1,030 linear feet toward the mouth of the river, rock protection along 4,600 feet of the toe of the levee, road raising of a 500-foot section at the upstream end of the project, and new floodgates.

Present Status. Funded in the fiscal year 1983 Jobs Bill, the project was completed in December 1984 at a cost of \$3,272,000 (federal: \$3,212,400; non-federal \$60,000).